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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a)

Dear Sir:

In Response to the Decision Refusing Status Under 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a) mailed September 29, 2003 in conjunction with the above-identified application, applicants respectfully petition for a Request for Reconsideration of Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a).

I, Carmen B Patti, attorney of record for the application, being first duly sworn on oath state:

To the best of my knowledge and belief, our office has made a diligent effort to contact and request execution of the Oath or Declaration by co-inventors Subrahmanyam Dravida and Sanjiv Nanda.

1. On August 19, 2003, a letter was sent to Sanjiv Nanda via FedEx along with an Assignment, Declaration and Power of Attorney, and a copy of the patent application. (See attached copy of the August 19, 2003 letter.) I have personal and first hand knowledge of the mailing of this letter.

On August 20, 2003, FedEx called our office to say that when they attempted to deliver the envelope to Sanjiv Nanda at his last known address of 125 Sunset Lane, Lunenburg, MA 01462, FedEx was informed by the current owners of said address 125 Sunset Lane, Lunenburg, MA 01462, that Sanjiv Nanda had no longer resided there and therefore, the only forwarding information they had was a telephone number 978-582-9339 which has since been disconnected. (See attached a copy of the FedEx returned receipt for non-delivery of the documents along with a printout of the White Pages Internet search information indicating the current information on Sanjiv Nanda as 125 Sunset Lane, Lunenburg, MA 01462 and phone number 978-582-9339 both of which are incorrect information.)

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2. Attached is a properly executed Oath or Declaration.

In conclusion, applicants respectfully petition for a Request for Reconsideration of Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a) in conjunction with the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

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March 3, 2000

Dear Sanjiv:

On March 3, 2000 and on behalf of Lucent Technologies Inc., we filed a patent application for which you were listed as a co-inventor. As a condition for prosecution of this patent application, the U.S. Patent Office is now requiring submission of the Declaration/Power of Attorney and Assignment and Agreement, which are enclosed for your execution and return to us by August 27, 2003.

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